PATENT APPLICATION

THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Kazushi FUKUTA et al.

Group Art Unit: 2852

Application No.:

10/663,823

Examiner:

S. Brase

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For:

A SEPARABLE CLEANING DEVICE FOR AN IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the July 6, 2005, Office Action, please consider the following:

Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims; and

Remarks.